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GOOD MUSIC THERE.

Miss Mildred Graves Will Direct That Feature.

Other Arrangements, About Completed, Three Weeks' Time.

A committee of arrangements for the banquet for the Southeast Missouri press association has been appointed by the chairman W. A. Dunn of the citizens committee. It is composed of Tom Allen, W. A. Leoffler, F. M. Wells, J. F. Sander and Robert Fischer.

Almost every arrangement has been perfected, and the banquet promises to be a glittering success. Our people will have reason to be proud of their effort.

The meeting of the association promises to be greatly enhanced by the excellent music that will be furnished for the occasion.

Miss Mildred Graves has consented to take charge of the musical features of the program. A good choir has been secured and is being drilled, in addition to the special selections that will be rendered by Miss Rosa Fischer and Misses Flora Frymire and Julia Jamison. Mrs. C. M. Witmer has very kindly rendered the use of her piano for the occasion, by which she places the association and the citizens under many obligations.

For the entertainment of such visiting editors as remain over Saturday night, Miss Mildred Graves has announced that she will have a lawn fete at Forest Home in the western suburbs of Marble Hill. It will be a grand affair. Entertainment will be afforded to all visitors who will remain.

Rosemount Going.

McCaus & Roach have almost completed the stone work on the basement of Rosemount hall. The first kiln of brick burnt by F. P. Trautwein at Lutesville, which is now complete will be used at the academy, and work will soon be begun.

They Are Good Brick.

The eyes in the two brick kilns in Lutesville were closed, last Saturday, and the brick will be ready as soon as the kilns are cool. The brick at Cofer, Dickey & Co's yard are good. At the machine brick factory some doubt was entertained as to the quality of the brick, but it is dispelled. They have burned a pretty color, and are almost flawless.

Congress In Session.

Congress assembled last Monday in extra session, on the call of the president. Charles F. Crisp of Georgia was re-elected speaker. The president's message was received and read Tuesday. It is currently supposed that the silver and tariff questions will be considered to the exclusion of all others.

Summer Picnics.

There will be a grand picnic at Zalma on August 26. A jolly time is assured all who attend.

At Patton a picnic will also be a feature on August 19. It will be better than the average, and will be a good place to spend a pleasant day.

The people are celebrating at Dry Creek bridge today.

SOME ARE HAPPY.

Sixty-One Teachers Take Certificates At The Institute.

The teachers institute of Bollinger county closed last Saturday. It was held under the direction of Commissioner Myers and Profs. Leoffler and Malugen. Sixty-nine teachers were enrolled, out of which number sixty one took certificates.

The sessions were held in the Mayfield-Smith academy building. A very interesting entertainment was given at the Presbyterian church on Friday evening. The institute will convene on the fourth Monday of July, 1894 for a four weeks session.

First grade certificates were granted to Misses Della Caldwell, Margaret Graves, Sue Belle Graves, and Mable McCans and Messrs. J. N. Tankersley, A. J. Spears, T. A. Caldwell and J. A. Richards.

Twenty-one second grade, and thirty-one third grade certificates were granted, and three applicants failed to pass. Five were unable to take the examinations.

Free For All.

Everybody can avail himself of our inducements in Sugar, Coffee, and the rest of our groceries. SACHS MERCANTILE CO.

Eye And Ear Doctor.

Dr. M. A. Curtis, the noted surgeon and specialist will be in Lutesville August 10 and will remain until August 22. The doctor cures all diseases of the eye and ear, no matter how long standing. Cross eyes straightened in one minute. Catarrh cured. Deafness relieved at once. It costs you nothing to visit the doctor, and if he can cure you he will tell you so. Office at Commercial Hotel from August 10 to August 22.

IT'S LUXURY.

To drink the New Fabrons drinks. These drinks are invented by A. Mayer, the famous Marble Hill caterer, and are made exclusively by him. They cannot be duplicated, so if you want them you must go to him. Here's the list:

Banquet Lemonade.
Cream Lemonade.
Knox All Lemonade.
Combination Lemonade.
Combination Milk Shake.
Sodas and Cider.

Please Settle.

There are a number of subscribers to the PRESS who are more than a year behind with their payments. The editor will feel greatly obliged if they will call and pay. During county and probate court would be a good time. The paper is worth the subscription price and you should keep paid up to date at least. Please pay up.

They Object.

There is no room for doubt that the PRESS is the best local newspaper in the state, and perhaps in the United States. It is complete, clean and new, well edited, and well printed. The editor has heard but one objection to it. And that fault he positively declines to remedy. He was at Cape Girardeau last Saturday, and a lady reader said this: "I like your paper very much, but I have one objection: it is too full of news; it takes me too long to read it." The editor doffed his hat in grateful recognition of the compliment so artfully concealed, and offered his sincere thanks.

L. T. Kinder is clerking in the office of Sample & Kinder.

AMONG SOCIETY.

Local Happenings Among Society In The Twin Cities.

A Party to Her Friend and Other Social News.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Miss Hattie Burford in Lutesville last evening. The party was given complimentary to Miss Edith Devinney of St. Louis who is her guest. The usual social diversions, varied by a lunch characterized the evening. Miss Burford is a very genial and entertaining hostess.

Mason F. Kinder left last Monday for Lexington, Ky., where he will enter classes in the Commercial college of Kentucky university. He is a bright young man, and will no doubt meet with success. He will very probably graduate about Christmas.

The society reporter craves pardon from Misses Kinder and Whybark, for his oversight in not mentioning their excellent instrumental music at the lawn fete at R. W. Fischer's last week.

Mrs. John Horn of Mine La Motte and Mrs. E. C. Röckwell of Annapolis, Mo., are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. E. Röckwell.

Mrs. Elmer E. Bair left yesterday for a visit to her parents at Vincennes, Ind. She will be gone about three weeks.

S. J. McMin, Leo Slinkard, John Grisham, and Mr. Mann of Zalma were in Marble Hill last Sunday.

Mrs. Newton Miller of Miller-ville is visiting Mrs. John Rhodes near Glen Allen.

Mr. Joseph Greaser and wife of St. Louis are visiting the family of A. Mayer.

Forrest Bollinger of Glen Allen is spending a few days with his mother.

Miss Edith Devinney of St. Louis, is visiting Miss Hattie Burford.

The best line of pens and pencils in the county at Biggs & Smith's.

Miss Dora Axe is able to be up after a severe illness of two weeks.

Mrs. F. M. Wells is visiting her mother at Millerville.

Adolph Mayer jr. and sheriff Wells are at the picnic at Dry creek bridge today.

Rev. Oswald went to Alliance yesterday, where he will spend a few days.

John Wilkinson of Cold Water, Wayne county was in town yesterday on business with the pension board.

THE ENTERTAINMENT

The Teachers Had A Grand Time.

The teachers of the institute favored Twin City people with a delightful entertainment and one of merit on Friday night of last week. The musical selections, under the direction of Miss Mildred Graves were a prominent feature of the entertainment.

The literary work was full of merit, and showed ability and careful training.

The paper, the Institute Review, was pleasing both in its humor, and the good things said in a soberer vein.

NEW METHODIST CHURCH

John A. Glen Generously Donates A Lot.

John A. Glen, of Cleburn, Texas, accompanied by Ed Ellms of the same place, was here the first of last week, on his way to the World's Fair.

While here he made a deed donating to the Methodist church a beautiful lot in the Sample & Glen addition. They will build a \$2,500 church on the lot. It is understood that the church has also secured a lot in the same addition on which they will build a parsonage.

Something She Hadn't Had.

Some small boys are inclined to cover the entire field in their consideration of things, and this from Judge is to the point:

Teacher—It was very kind of you to bring me this big apple, Willie.

Willie—Yes'm. I got one for mamma and one for you.

Teacher—And that isn't the first time you have remembered me along with your mother. I guess I must have had everything that she has, haven't I?

Willie—No'm, not everything. Mother's had twins.

Don't Like The Banner.

Special to the Press.

ZALMA, August 1.—Your correspondent heard the following dialogue between the postmaster and a lady yesterday:

Lady:—Is there any mail for me? Postmaster:—Only a paper (as he hands out a copy of the Banner).

Lady: Haven't you a copy of the Marble Hill Press? I am getting tired of the Banner. There is never anything in it. I am going to subscribe for the Press.

Jones To New York.

Colonel Charles H. Jones, who was recently retired from editorial management of the Republic, has been appointed editor of the New York World. He will also have the management of the Post Dispatch, and will make it, it is reported, a morning paper.

Lincoln's Humor.

In a copy book used by Abraham Lincoln in his early school days the following copy is found: "Abraham Lincoln, his hand, his pen; He'll be good but God knows when."

Moss Is Dead.

Colonel T. J. Moss, died at his home, at 4303 Delmar avenue, St. Louis, at 11:45 o'clock last Thursday night, of appendicitis. He had been confined to his bed about ten days. He had a wife and two children. His fortune is estimated at \$1,000,000. He was one of the most extensive contractors in the United States, operating largely in Southeast Missouri.

ALMOST A FATALITY.

J. M. Cruse Suffers A Loss Of \$1000 By Fire.

Special to the Press.

GLEN ALLEN, August 5.—J. M. Cruse living four miles west of this place, lost his house and the contents by fire last Friday night. The loss is estimated at about \$1,000 with no insurance.

The fire caught from a defective flue in the kitchen about 10 or 11 o'clock, and the house was almost burned before the family was awakened. They barely escaped with their lives.

Marginalia.

One lot of good fancy straw hats at Mrs. Jackson, Lutesville, that will go at less than cost as long as they last. Now is your chance.

CONTESTED THE NOTE

J. M. Shell Thinks the Phoenix Insurance Company Tried to Cheat Him.

The Phoenix insurance company of Brooklyn, N. Y., sues J. M. Shell of this county for a \$25 note, given in payment of an insurance policy, almost ten years ago. The case was tried before Justice B. L. Bowman last Saturday, and judgement given to the company. The case was appealed to Circuit court.

Shell claims that he was to have received two policies for \$500 each, but received but one for that amount. Hence he refused to pay the note.

Freights Are High.

Scott county melon growers find that it don't pay to ship melons to St. Louis, hence they have made A. E. Clippard headquarters. His sales of melons have been wonderful. The best melons are kept.

Fined \$15 And Costs.

F. M. Tallent living 8 miles northeast of Marble Hill, was tried in Justice Bowman's court Tuesday for assault, and was fined \$15 and cost. The case was appealed to circuit court.

About three weeks ago Tallent and ex-Assessor M. H. Williams had a difficulty about Tallent's cattle getting in Williams field, and it ended by Williams getting the worst of a fight. Hence the action in court. Tallent and Williams are brothers-in-law.

A New Woodworkman.

I wish to say to my patrons that I have secured the services of a first class woodworkman in the person of William Southerland. All of his work is the best, and patrons may know that any wood work done at my shop will be first-class.

STEPHEN J. ALLEN.

Yes, I Am In It, Y. T.

When you are in town it wont pay you to forget that the New Famous is the place for you to get your cool drinks. Mayer's. His combination Milkshake, Knoxall, banquet combination and cream lemonades; cannot be duplicated.

World's Fair Philanthropists.

Messrs. Boddie Bros. wealthy Chicago gentlemen, having the interest of their city at heart, and desiring to disprove the falsity of the statement that only in boarding houses can be found moderate priced accommodations during the World's Fair, remodeled and furnished at great expense one of their famous absolutely fireproof business structures, located corner of Franklin and Jackson streets, within short walking distance of the Union Depots, theaters, postoffice, board of trade, team elevated cable roads and steamboats to the World's Fair, furnished newly throughout, 500 rooms, superb parlors, elevators, electric lights, exhaust fans to keep cool entire building, named this property the Great Western Hotel; and invite the public to take their choice of rooms for \$1 per day, children 5 to 12 50 cents. Elegant restaurant and dining rooms where fine meals are served at 50c; of a la carte at very moderate prices.

There will be less heard of extortion and imposition connected with the World's Fair were there more public spirited fair minded men in Chicago as are the owners and proprietors of the Great Western Hotel. Our readers should write as early as possible to secure rooms; for they are being taken up rapidly. —St. Paul Daily News.

A Ministers Text.

"Help the poor." We respond: "Give ye poor; we will sell you all our Summer goods at less than cost."

Sachs Mercantile Co.